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SUBJECT: Change to the Department of Defense Financial

Management Regulation, Volume 7A, (DoDFMR, Vol 7A),

Part Three (DFAS Item F-18)

This is DFAS Interim Change Number 38-96 to the DoDFMR, Vol 7A. This change is effective February 10, 1996.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft change to the DoDFMR, Vol 7A. The attached final version of the change includes your comments where appropriate. Assignment of an interim change number is your authority to start a procedural modification to facilitate this change. For the Denver Center, use the attached to initiate the formal printed change to the DoDFMR and the interim change.

Our point of contact, Lt Col Randy Wies, may be reached at DSN 327-5068 or Commercial (703) 607-5068. Our FAX number is DSN 332-5271 or Commercial (703) 602-5271.

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Attachment: As stated

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DFAS ITEM No. F-18 DoDFMR Interim Change No. 38-96

1. Revise paragraph 30304a(2) to read:

FSA-II, Subcategory FSA-S. The member is on duty aboard a ship, and the ship is away from the homeport continuously for more than 30 days. Note: During the period 1 Dec 1994 through 9 Feb 1996 dependents were required to live in the vicinity of the home port. Effective 10 Feb 1996, the dependents are no longer required to reside in the vicinity of the home port. Effective 20 June 1994, a member is entitled to FSA-S for a redeployment if the member returned to home port after the original deployment for a period of 30 days of less and redeployed for a period of more than 30 days.

2. Revise paragraph 30304a (3) as shown below:

FSA-II, Subcategory FSA-T The member is on TDY (or temporary additional duty) away from the permanent station continuously for more than 30 days, and the member's dependent's are not residing at or near the TDY station. This includes members who are required to perform a period of the TDY before reporting to their initial station of assignment. Note: During the period 1 Dec 1994 through 9 Feb 1996, dependents were required to live in the vicinity of the permanent duty station. Effective 10 Feb 1996, the dependents are no longer required to reside in the vicinity of the permanent duty station. Effective 20 June 1994, a member is entitled to FSA-T for a redeployment if the member returned to the permanent duty station after the original deployment for a period of 30 days or less and redeployed for a period of more than 30 days

3. Revise paragraph 30321a(2) to read:

"A member who reported PCS from 1 Dec 1994 to 10 Feb 1996 and subsequently performed duty on board a ship while the ship was away from the home port for more than 30 continuous days, prior to 10 Feb 1996, was entitled to FSA-S only if the member's dependent(s) resided in the vicinity of the home port of Effective 10 Feb 1996, a member is entitled to FSA-S the ship. when performing duty on board a ship, if the ship is away from the home port for more than 30 continuous days. However, if the ship puts into a port other than the home port, for a period of greater than 30 days at a location where the member's dependents reside, payment of FSA-S is precluded if the member resides with the dependents. A member is entitled to FSA-S for a redeployment if the member returned to home port after the original deployment for a period of 30 days or less and redeployed for a period of more than 30 continuous days."

4. Revise paragraph 30321a(3) to read:

"A member who reported PCS from 1 Dec 1994 to 10 Feb 1996 and subsequently performed TDY away from the permanent duty station for more than 30 continuous days, prior to 10 Feb 1996, was entitled to FSA-T only if the member's dependent(s) resided in the vicinity of the permanent duty station. Effective 10 Feb 1996, a member is entitled to FSA-T for TDY periods of over 30 continuous days if the dependents do not reside at or near the TDY station. A member is entitled to FSA-T for a redeployment if the member returned to the permanent duty station after the original TDY for a period of 30 days or less and redeployed for a period of more than 30 continuous days."

5. Delete paragraph 30321b.

6. Change subparagraphs 30321c, d,e,f,g,h, and i to read 30321b, c,d,e,f,g, and h.

7. Bibliography:

Paragraphs	Citation
30304a(2)	Public Law 104-106 Section 606 10 Feb 1996
30304a(3)	Public Law 104-106 Section 606 10 Feb 1996
30321a(2)	ASD(FMP) memo of 23 Nov 1994 Public Law 104-106 Section 606 10 Feb 1996 U.S.C. Title 37 Section 427 43 Comp Gen 527
30321a(3)	ASD(FMP) memo of 23 Nov 1994 Public Law 104-106 Section 606 10 Feb 1996 U.S.C. Title 37 Section 427

Adjust subparagraphs 30321b, c,d,e,f,g,h,and i accordingly.